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FOR THE YEAR



Being Bissextile or Leap-year, and after the fourt of July, the fifty-seventh year of American Independence.

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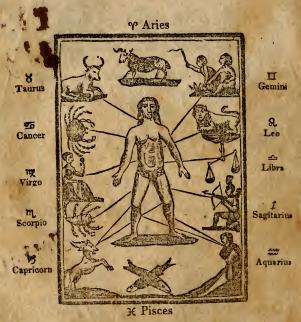
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or sun, new moon, full moon, first quarter, last quarter, mercury, venus, the earth, mars, in jupiter, saturn, herschell, or georgian, of conjunction, or planets situated in the same longitude, quadrature, or planets situated three signs apart, opposition, or planets 180 degrees apart, N. north, S. south, inf. inferior, sup. superior, A. afternoon, m. morning, moon's ascendant, moon's descendant.

# 12 Signs of the Zodiac.



\* \* To know what part the sign governs on any day, look down the column of the moon's place, and opposite the day of the month you will find what sign the moon is in, and in the above figure you will find what part of the body the sign is said to govern; for example, January 10th, the moon enters the sign of (Aries) to which the government of the head is assigned.

#### Chronological Cycles.

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# Moveable Feasts.

Septuagesima Sunday		19 Low Sunday	April	29
Quinq. or Shrove Sunday	Mar.	4 Rogation Sunday	May	27
Ash Wed. or 1st of Lent	-	7 Ascen. day, or Holy	Thurs	31
Mid-Lent Sunday,		1 Whit Sunday	June	10
Palm Sunday		15 Trinity Sunday	21	17
Easter Day		22 Advent Sunday	Dec	2
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#### ECLIPSES.

### There are two this year of the Sun.

First, of the Sun, February 1st, at 4h 55\frac{3}{2}m afternoon, invisible. Second, of the Sun, July 27th, at 8h 55\frac{3}{2}m morning, invisible.

Venus (2) will be morning star until the 27th of July, then evening star until the end of the year.

#### TRANSIT OF MERCURY OVER THE SUN,

#### Visible May the 5th.

External ingress, or beginning of the Tra	h. m.
Sun rises at	5 2
Time of Mercury's nearest approach,	7 9
External egress, or end of the Transit,	10 34

We should give as we would receive, cheerfully, quickly, and without hesitation; for there is no grace in a benefit that sticks to the fingers.—Seneca.

In all things preserve integrity; the consciousness of thy own uprightness will alleviate the toil of business, and soften the harshness of ill success and disappointments, and give thee an humble confidence before God, when the ingratitude of man, or the iniquity of the times, may rob thee of other due reward.—Paley.

The learned Menage, who was styled the Varro of France, has this acute observation on the writings of love and religion: "Books of devotion and those of love are alike bought. The only difference I find is, that there are more who read books of love than buy them, and there are more who buy books of devotion than read them."

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<sup>788</sup> Pleadings in courts of judicature are instituted.
791 The Moors defeated by the Spaniards with great slaughter.
792 An academy founded in Paris.
795 The pope sent legates to Charlemagne to request him to confirm his

<sup>797</sup> Seventeen days of unusual darkness.—Constantine dethroned and put to death by his mother Irene.

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#### RECONCILIATION.

"Faster, faster! your horses creep the snails; drive for your life!" said the impatient Morley, as the noble an-mals dashed along the turnpike road, vhile the sparks flew from their ironhod hoofs like a flight of fire-flies.

The postillion, with voice and whip, ut them to the top of their speed; and he chaise, in its rapid course, left beind it a trail of light, as though it had

een ignited.

A high and steep hill in front, at ength enforced a more moderate gait, when Morley, as if struck by a sudden ecollection, turned his head anxiously owards his companion, a lovely young voman, who pale, silent and motioness, reclined on his shoulder.

'Ellen, my love,' said Morley, tender-, I fear this will prove too much for

our delicate frame.'

There was no reply.

Morley leaned his face nearer to ers, and by the moon-beams, saw that her features were fixed, her open eyes gazing on vacancy, while the tears which had recently streamed from them, seemed congealed upon her bloodless cheeks.

'Good' heaven,' exclaimed Morley, what means this? Ellen, beloved, adored! do you not hear me? will you not speak to me—to Morley, your Mor-ley? and he gently pressed her in his arms.

The name he uttered, like a charm,

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A great earthquake in France, Germany, and Italy.

102 The empress Irene deposed and banished.

103 The first descent of the Normans into France.

104 Leo ordered the images in churches to be demolished.

105 An insurrection against the pope in Rome.

105 Constantinople besieged by the Saracens under Thomas the Slave; but the siege is raised by the Bulgarians.

105 Harold, king of Demark, embraces the Christian religion, and is dethroned by his subjects.

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solved the spell that bound her. A g drawn sigh, as if struggling from oroken heart, escaped her cold quiv-ing lips; a fresh fountain of tears rst forth; and with a hysteric sob, she I upon the bosom of her lover.

The alarmed but enraptured Morley, ded her in his arms and bent to kiss vay her tears-when, with a sudden rt, she disengaged herself from his brace, and drawing back, looked ldly and earnestly in his face. Morley,' she said, in a voice of thrill-g tone, 'do you love me?'

Dearest, best Ellen,' he replied, 'do

u, can you doubt it? Do you love me, Morley?' she repead with increased earnestness.

Truly—devotedly—madly, cried M. his knees. By the heaven that is

ining over us-No more oaths; enough of protesta-ons. Are you willing by one action, this moment, to prove that I am truly

ar to you, Morley?" I am, though it carry with it my deruction!

I ask not your destruction; I implore u to prevent mine.-Return:

Morley gazed at her, as if doubting sense of hearing.

'Return! 'Return instantly!'

'Ellen, are you serious-are you?' he ight have added 'in your senses?' but she interrupted him.

I am serious; I am not mad, Morley; ino, nor inconstant nor fickle,' she ad-

ded, reading the expression that was arising on Morley's countenance. 'That I love, and in that love am incapable of change, do not, Morley, insult me by doubting, even by a look. But O, if you love me as you

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848 The Venitian fleet totally defeated by the Saracens.

<sup>528</sup> The several kingdoms of England united under Egbert.
529 Missionaries sent from France to Sweden.
535 The feast of All-Saints instituted.
535 The Picts defeated, and their nation extirpated by Kenneth, king of Scotland.

<sup>\$50</sup> About this time the gospel was preached in Denmark and Sweden.

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back to my father-'To your father!' exclaimed Morley, almost unconscious of what he said.

'Aye, to my father, my grey headed my doating, my confiding father: take me to him before his heart is broken by the child he loves. I have been with him, she cried, in wild agony, even now, as I lay in your arms, spell-bound in my trance, while the carriage rolled on to my perdition. I could not move —I could not speak; but I knew where I was, and whither I was hurrying; yet even then I was with my father, she said with a voice and look of supernat-ural solemnity: he lay on his death 59 m bowels bed; his eye turned upon me; his fixed and glaring eye, it rested on me, as I lay in your arms; he cursed me and died! His malediction yet rings in my earshis eye is now upon me. Morley, for the love of heaven, ere it is too late-

'Compose yourself, my beloved, my own dear Ellen.'

'Do you still hesitate,' she cried, would you still sooth my frantic soul with words?—Your Ellen! short-sighted man, Your Ellen !- What shall bind her to a husband, who would abandon a father—what power may transfer the renegade daughter, into the faithful wife! Morley, listen to me: as you hope for mercy, do not destroy the being who loves you-who asks you to preserve her soul!

Morley caught her as she sank at his feet, and she remained in his arms in a

state of insensibility. He was confounded-subdued.

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2 MO	16	Regulus south 12 25	5	25		35	0	15	10	13
3 TU	17	¥ sets 8 20	5	23		37	0	30	10	34
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1 G	22	Easter Day weather		17		43	1	36	12	17
MO	23	East. Mond.	5	16	-	44	1	47	12	37
3 TU	24		5	15		45	1	59		57
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<sup>551</sup> The Morrahs invade England.
552 The Moors persecute the Christians in Spain.
553 An earthquake over a great part of the known world.
557 The Scots defeated by the Britens.
561 Rurick, the first prince of Russia, begins to reign.
567 The Christian religion propagated in Bulgaria.
570 The Danes successfully ravage England.
571 Ethelred fought nine pitched battles with the Danes in one year.
572 Clocks first brought to Constantinople from Venice.

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The fatigued horses had laboured aout midway up the acclivity, when Iorley called to the postillion.

'Turn your horses' heads,' he said; we shall return.'

The steeds seemed to acquire renewed igor from the alteration in their course, nd were proceeding at a brisk pace on heir return when Ellen again revived. 'Where am I,-whither am I carried?'

he wildly exclaimed.

'To your father, my beloved,' whispered Morley

'To my father, Morley, to my father! -can it be?-but no, I will not doubt, you never deceived me; you cannot; God bless you, my brother.

'Where is he; let me see him; is he alive-is he well?' shrieked Ellen, as she rushed into the house of her father.

'For whom do you inquire, Madam,' coldly asked the female she addressed, the maiden sister of Ellen's father.

'Aunt, dear aunt; do not speak to me thus. I am not what you think me. But my father; my father, is he—is he alive, is he well? O beloved aunt, have pity on me, I am repentant, I am inno-

In one word, Ellen, are you not married?

'I am not.'

'Heaven be praised! follow me; your

father is not well-

For the love of heaven-before it is too late;' and the distracted girl rushed into the room and knelt at her father's side.

Father! do not avert your face; father I am your own Ellen. I am restored to you as I left you. By the years of love that have passed between us, forgive the folly; the offence; the crime of a moment. By the memory of my mother——? memory of my mother-

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<sup>874</sup> The Danes invade Scotland.

<sup>578</sup> Alfred concealed himself in the isle of Athelney; but soon after defeats the Danes, and causes them to leave England.
585 The Normans besiege Paris.
580 The Normans ravage France and the Low Countries.
581 The Danes again invade England.—The first land-tax in England.
501 Civil war: in France and Germany.
503 The Normans ravage France.

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'Cease,' said the old man, endeavouring, through the weakness of age and infirmity, and the workings of agonized feelings, to be firm; 'forhear and answer me, is this gentleman your hus-

Ellen was about to reply, but Morley stepped forward, 'I am not,' said he, 'blessed with that lady's hand; she has refused it, unless it is given with your sanction; dearly as I love her, and hopeless as I may be of your consent, I will never hereafter ask it.'

'Do you pledge your word to this young man?'

'My sacred word as a man of honor: I may have inherited your hate, but I will never deserve it.'

'Children, you have subdued me!' ex-claimed the father. 'Morley,my daugh-ter is yours!'

Morley seized the old man's hand. scarce y believing the scene before him to be real.

'My father!' said the weeping Ellen on berknees, ber arm around his neck, her innocent cheek pressed to bis.

The good aunt partook of the general joy, and even Ellen's favourite dog seemed to thank her father for his kindness to his dear mistress

The happy father sat with an arm a-1 round his daughter's waist, and as he pressed her lover's hand, he said,

Behold in all this the goodness of God: behold the blessings which follow the performance of our duties. Your 8 16 father, young gentleman, before you saw the light, had entailed my hate on his offspring. I had nourished this bit-

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<sup>910</sup> War begins in England against the Danes.
912 The Normans establish themselves in France under Rolla.
913 The Danes seize on the crown of England.
915 The University of Cambridge founded.
920 The Moors defeat the Christians in Spain.
923 The Moors defeated in Spain.—Fiefs established in France.
941 Arithwetick brought into Europe.
945 The Turks ravage Thrace, and the Danes invade France.
985 The Danes invade England and Scotland under Sueno.

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> ter feeling even against you, who had never offended me, and whom every one else loved. This very day the cherished hostility of years had given way before my desire to secure my daughter's happiness. I felt that age was creeping on me; and, but the mor-ning of this blessed day, I had resolved, over this holy book, to prove my contrition for the sinful harbouring of hatred towards my fellow creatures, by uniting you, my dear children, in mar-riage. The tidings of my daughter's elopement scattered to the winds my better thoughts, and revived my worst in tenfold strength. I did not order a pursuit. I did more. I felt, at least I thought so, the approach of my malady to a region where it would soon prove fatal. No time was to be lost: my will was hastily drawn out, bequeathing my beggared daughter but her father's curse; it would have been signed this night; for over this book I had taken an oath never to forgive her who could abandon her father.'

'O my father,' interrupted Ellen, to whom the horrible images of her trance returned, 'in pity, my dear father-

Bless you, forever bless you, my ex-cellent Ellen. Your filial obedience has prolonged your father's life.

#### RUSTIC COQUETRY.

In Stratherrick, a remote sequestered Highland district, by the side of one of those small lochs, or lakes, which re-50 2 28 9 42 8 heart lieve the wild and dreary expanse of rock and heather, there dwells a fair damsel who has lately made sad

havoc among the hearts of the neighbouring swains, as well as exemplified the fickleness of female love. About a fortnight since she was duly

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991 The figures of arithmetick brought into Europe by the Saracens from Arabia.
994 The king of Denmark and Norway invades England with a great

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1002 A general massacre of the Danes in England. 1005 All the old churches are rebuilt about this time in a new style of architecture.

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<sup>1036</sup> The kingdom of Norway begins.

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rival suitors and their separate 'tails' were now to act, was rather a puzzling question, which it required sundry gills and half mutchkins to digest, but at length, instead of proceeding to hostilities, or adopting the Bonaparte system of tactics, by storming the centre, and carrying off the prize by a vigorous coup de main, both of the belligerents resolved to go peaceably to the house, and trust to Providence for the result. On arriving at the dwelling, their friends remained outside, while the principals entered the cot, big with hope and fear. Only a few minutes, however, elapsed, ere the wily damsel contrived to slip out, giving the sign to the young farmer, who instantly joined the fugitive out of doors, and renewed his vows of everlasting love and attach-ment! Things had now come to a pretty pass with the tailor and the first sweetheart. The former wisely determined on neutrality, and as he had been so openly jilted, he thought it best to jouk and let the jaup gae owr.' But not so the elderly wooer. On being informed of this double perjury, he was in a towering passion, and vowing that he would make the lass abide by her contract, he went to the house, attended by his friends, all armed with sticks and bludgeons. The girl had returned to her father's roof, and, to settle quietly the matter, which was now beginning to make a noise over the country side, it was resolved to leave it to the fair one's arbitration. In a moment the fickle bride sprang for-31| 4 56|10 24|20| ward and claimed the young farmer, who saluted her with an emphasis that resounded like the crack of a cadger's whip. The downcast discomfited suitor left the house, threatening

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1038 An earthquake and famine at Constantinople. 1053 Pope Leo IX. taken prisoner in Naples, by the Normans. 1061 Surnames appointed to be taken in Scotland, by a parliament at Forfar.

1062 Seventy, thousand persons, and more, undertook a voyage to Palestine, and were killed or made prisoners.

1065 Jerusalem taken by the Turks from the Saracens.

1066 The conquest of England by William duke of Normandy, in the battle of Hastings.

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## FEMALE SOCIETY.

—I would call thee somewhat higher still, But when our hearts search heaven for appellation,

They echo back the sovereign name of wo-

man!
Thou woman, therefore, O thou loveliest
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The advantages of female society are numerous and extend themselves over almost every custom and every action of social life. It is to the social interourse with women, that men are indebted for every effort they make to please and be agreeable; and it is to the ambition of pleasing they owe all their elegance of manners, as well as the neatness and ornaments of dress. It is to the same cause, also, that they frequently owe their sobriety and temperance, and, consequently their health; for to drunkenness and irregularity, nothing is so effectual a check as the company of a modest woman; insomuch that it is seldom we find a man so lost to shame as to get drunk when he is in or to go into their company. To them we are not less frequently indebted for the calming of violent disputes, and preventing of quarrels, which, with every other species of lrudeness, are happily reckoned so inde-

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<sup>1072</sup> Surnames were first used in England about this time.
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1099 The Crusaders take Jerusalem.
1110 Writing on paper made of cotton became common.
1138 The Scots invade England and are defeated.
1156 The city of Moscow founded.

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festivity.

In our sex, there is a kind of constitutional or masculine pride, which hinders us from yielding, in points of knowledge or of honour, to each other. Though this may be designated by nature for several useful purposes, yet it is often the source, also, of a variety of evils, the most dangerous to the peace of society; but we lay it entirely aside our connexion with women, and with pleasure submit to such dictates and behaviour from their sex, as from our own would call up every irascible particle of our blood, and inflame every ungovernable passion. This accustomed submission gives a new and less imperious turn to our ideas, teaches us to obey where we were used to command, and to reason where we used to be in a passion; to consider as only good breeding and complaisance, that which before we looked upon as the most abject and unbecoming meanness; and thus the stern severity of the male is softened and rendered mild by the gentleness peculiar to the female

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1187 The kingdom of Jerusalem finished, that city being taken by

Saladin.

<sup>1189</sup> The kings of England and France go to the Holy Land.

<sup>1192</sup> King Richard made prisoner by the emperour Henry VI.
1195 The Saracens from Africa invade Spain.
1196 The emperour Henry VI. takes possession of Naples and Sicily.

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Mourning.-In Europe, says a Londen paper, the ordinary colour for mourning is black; in China, it is white; in Turkey, blue, or violet; in Egypt, yellow; in Ethiopia, brown. The ancient Spartan and Roman ladies mourned in white. White is supposed to denote purity; yellow, that death is the end of human hopes, as leaves when they fall and flowers when they fade become yellow; brown, denotes the earth, whither the dead return; black, the privation of light; blue, expresses the happiness it is hoped the deceased enjoy; and purple, or violet, sorrow on the one side and hope on the other, as being a mixture of black and blue. Among the Romans, a year of mourn-

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Gipsey Wit.—A short time since, two young ladies near Camberwell, were accosted by a gipsey woman, who told them that, for a shilling each, she would show them their husbands' faces in a pail of water; which being brought they exclaimed, 'why we see only our own faces'?—'Well,' said the old woman, 'those faces will be your husbands' when you are married.'

Some English efficers, drinking in their tent, asked the Chaplain for a toast: "The king of France." What! our foe? said the colonel "You live by him," said the caplain. The colonel in his own turn gave "the Devil" "Do you mean to affront me," exclaimed the chaplain. You live by him, said the celonel, do you not my good doctor?

A Gormand at an ordinary had eaten so enormously, that the company were astonished and disgusted with his gluttony. The gentleman at the head of the table ironically pressed him to take another plateful, observing that he had actually eaten nothing. The gormand declined taking any more, observing that his stomach was quite gone. Upon which an Irish gentleman opposite exclaimed, "It is your stomach that's gone, my koney? you mean the bottom part of it."

There is no crime more infamous than the violation of truth; it is apparent that men can be sociable beings no longer than they can believe each other. When speech is employed only as the

vehicle of falsehood, every man must disunite himself from others, inhabit his own cave, and seek prey only for himself. Two travellers of distinction, after a few days residence in Ferrara, determined to visit the hospital, or rather prison, of St. Ann, in which are confined the un-

happy victims of insanity.

Etienne de la Boetie, said the elder of the two, this jailer appears to me as stupid as he is hideous, and I am sure he will be unable to give us any information respecting the place we are about to examine; this is unfortunate, for my curiosity is much excited. At this moment, a young Italian, who was walking in the corridor, approached them, and expressing himself in French, which he spoke fluently, offered to be their guide through the different wards of the hospital. I can tell you, added he, the different kinds of madness these poor people labour under. The offer is made with too much politeness for Monsieur de Montaigne and myself to refuse, replied La Boetie!

Strozzi, for that was the name of the Italian, entered a long hall formed by narrow cells, before the doors of which he would stop and describe with singular acuteness the various descriptions of insanity of the inmates. His sound remarks and his agreeable manner of communicating them, delighted the travellers, and gave rise to a crowd of reflections which they mutually interchanged,

often with the tribute of a tear.

The poet and Montaigne were in the midst of an argument in the melancholy mood, when they were suddenly interrupted by the creaking of the door of a cell. A man covered with rags and bowed down with suffering rather than age, issued forth with caution, casting around him fearful glances. His beard and hair were in disorder, and his pale and extenuated features possessed, notwithstanding, a something noble and commanding in their expression.—He advanced cautiously towards the strangers, and drawing a letter from his bosom—"If you are Christians," said he, in a low and solemn tone, "cause this to be delivered to princess Leonora d'Est." La Boetie exchanged a smile with Montaigne and Strozzi, at the same time, taking the paper to avoid irritating the feelings of the poor creature who addressed them.

"I appear to you mad," continued he; "and you class me with the degraded beings with whom I am immured. Alas! I know not how I have been able to preserve my

reason and support the infamous tortures they have heaped upon me. From the bosom of a brilliant court to be thrown into a loathsome dungeon, to be torn from bright visions of fame, of friendship, of love, to groan seven years alone-yes, alone! or among madmen and torments, to curse the fatal gift of genius, and the fame attached to my name; ah! who could thus exist? In the name of the Virgin," cried he, embracing the knees of Mantaigne, and bathing them with his tears, "put an end to this horrible torment. Let Leonora but know where I exist, and she will come to my deliverance.-You hesitate; you fear her brother-yes, dread him; his revenge is dreadful-implacable.-Well, then, tell Cones, Prince of Mantua, or the friend of my youth, the faithful Cardinal Cinthio, that here, under a fictitious name"-Suddenly was heard the dreadful voice of the jailer, and the echo of his heavy and hurried steps; the poor creature shuddered, was silent, and slunk affrighted to his dungeon, and the iron-featured jailer barred the door upon him without interrupting the canzonnetta he had been humming when approaching the group.

"The delusion of this man," observed the young Italian to the travallers, "is to believe himself beloved by a lady of rank. Sometimes he weeps over letters he imagines he has received from her; at others, he is heard talking of fetes, tournaments, and victories. Sometimes he is heard reciting verses which he traces upon the walls of his cell, for they occasionally allow him a light, as his madness is never furious; it is rather a deep melancholy, an habitual gloomy sadness. His stanzas are always addressed to the imaginary object of his passion, and the letter he just gave you, I am sure, is filled with expres-

sions of love and tenderness."

"It is indeed," said Montaigne, 'who had just finished reading it. "He writes to the princess of Ferrara in the language of the most favored lover; he recalls to her the private interviews she once granted him, and doubts not that his Leonora will fly to his deliverance whenever she shall know that he is here immured. Poor human nature!" said he sighing; "what we have just witnessed would go strongly to support the bold assertion of Pliny, 'Nothing can exceed the degradation and vanity of man."

He had just finished this comment, when the sound of approaching footsteps was heard, and soon his highness

Cardinal Cinthio [whom Montaigne had seen the day before at Court | entered in the utmost haste and agitation, followed by the keeper. The latter seized the ponderous keys in the hands of the jailer, and with his own hand opened the massive door which had just been closed

upon the object of their reflections.

Cardinal Cinthio threw himself weeping into the arms of the unfortunate prisoner, who appeared stupified with joy. "My dear friend," cried the Cardinal, as soon as his agitation would allow him to speak, "is it thus we meet again?"-then turning to the spectators of this moving scene, "Gentlemen," said he, in a transport of indignation, "you see how the Duke of Farrara rewards genius; tell your country, tell the whole world, that Torquato Tasso groaned seven years in this vile dungeon, while the universe mourned his death:-but come, noble sufferer," said he, "let us fly this impious land; Rome has yet in reserve for thee the immortal laurel crown,"

After their departure, Montaigne, a little chagrined at his mistake, remained a few moments silent, then turning to Strozzi, took leave of him, cordially thanking him for his politeness in acting as their guide -"What!" said he gravely, "do you leave me without worshipping me?" Montaigne looked at him with astonishment. "Thou ignorant mortal," continued the young Italian, "has not my sublime genius, which but now enchained your admiration, has not the gift of tongues I possess, revealed my mysterious divinity? Kneel!" cried he, at the same time grasping Montaigne by the throat, "kneel, thou heathen; worship me, or I will strangle thee!"

La Boetie and the jailer hastened to the relief of Montaigne, and while dragging this new madman to his cell, "My dear sir," said the latter, at the same time adjusting his disordered dress, "we ought not to be very vain of our understanding, since we have to-day admired the intellect of a madman, and mistaken for a madman the greatest genius of Italy .- Truly Socrates was right in saying he knew but one thing-that he knew nothing; and Pliny to write, nothing is certain but uncertainty-and I to add, what do I know?"

OLIVER CROMWELL. The following is the Speech of Oliver Cromwell, when he dissolved the long Parliament, 20th April, 1653, after sitting twelve years, six months, and fourteen days:—

"It is high time for me to put an end to your sitting in this place, which you have dishonored by your contempt of all virtue, and defiled by your practice of every vice. You are a factious crew, and enemies to all good government. Ye are a pack of mercenary wretches, and would, like Esau, sell your country for a mess of pottage, and like Judas, betray your God for a few pieces of money. Is there a single virtue now remaining among you? there one vice you do not possess? You have no more religion than my horse; gold is your God. Which of you have not bartered away your conscience for bribes? Is there a man amongst you that has the least care for the commonwealth? Ye sordid prostitutes! Have ye not defiled this sacred place, and turned the Lord's temple into a den of thieves, by your immoral principles and wicked practices?-You, who are deputed here by the people to get grievances redressed, are yourselves the greatest grievance. Your country, therefore, calls upon me to cleanse this Augean stable, by putting a final period to your proceedings in this house; and which, by God's help and the strength he has given me, I am now come to do. I command you, therefore, upon the peril of your lives, to depart immediately out of this place. Go! get you out; make haste, ye venal slaves-begone! So! take away that shining bauble [the mace] there, and lock up the doors."

#### THE DEAD ENGINEER.

The following anecdote, strongly illustrative of eastern superstition and eastern tyranny, is related in the MS. of Bishop Heber's Journal.—Some circumstances induced the editor to omit its publication, the principal of which was, that as the king of the Oude was then living, and was in the habit of making his aides-de-camp translate English books into Hindostanee, for his information, she apprehended that the engineer, whose history it relates, mightfall under the power of the favorite. That fear having been removed by the king's death, and the immediate dismissal from power of Hukeem Mendee, the prime minister, she no longer hesitates to relate it.

"Many whimsical stories are current in Lucknow respecting the foibles and blindness of the poor king, and

the rascality of his favorite. His fondness for mechanics was very great. In trying some experiments of this nature, he fell in with a Mussulman engineer, of pleasing address, and ready talent, as well as considerable though unimproved genius for such pursuits. The king took so much delight in conversing with this man, that the minister began to fear a rising competitor, as well knowing that the meanness of his own birth and functions had been no obstacle to his advancement. He therefore sent the engineer word, 'if he were wise, to leave Lucknow.' The poor man did so, removed to a place about ten miles down the river, and set up a shop there. The king, on inquiring after his humble friend, was told that he was dead of cholera; ordered a gratuity to be sent to his widow and children, and no more was said. During these last rains, however, the king sailed down the river in his brig of war, as far as the place where the new shop stood: he was struck with the different signs of neatness and ingenuity which he observed in passing-made his men draw into shore—and to his astonishment, saw the deceased engineer, who stood trembling, and with joined hands, to receive him. After a short explanation, he ordered him to come on board-returned in high anger to Lucknow-and calling the minister, asked him again if it were certain such a man was dead. 'Undoubte'lly!' was the reply, 'I myself ascertained the fact, and conveyed your majesty's bounty to the widow and children.'-Hurumzada,' said the king, bursting into a fury, look there, and never see my face more!' The vizier turned round, and saw how matters were circumstanced. With a terrible glance, which the king could not see, but which spoke volumes to the poor engineer, he imposed silence on the latter, then, turning round again to his master, stopping his nose, and with many muttered exclamations of 'God be merciful! Satan is strong! In the name of God keep the devil from me!' he said 'I hope your majesty has not touched the horrible object.'-"Touch him!" said the king, 'the sight of him is enough to convince me of your rascality.' 'Istufirullah!' said the favorite, 'and does not your majesty perceive the strong smell of a dead carcass!' The king stormed, but his voice faltered, and curiosity and anxiety began to mingle with his indignation. It is certain, refuge of the world!' resumed the minister, 'that your majesty's

late engineer, with whom be peace! is dead and buried, but your slave knoweth not who hath stolen his body from the grave, or what vampire it is who now inhabits it to the terror of all good Mussulmen. Good were it, that he were run through with a sword before your majesty's face, if it were not unlucky to shed blood in the auspicious presence. I pray your majesty, dismiss us; I will see him conducted back to his grave; it may be that when that is opened he may enter it again peaceably.' The king, confused and agitated, knew not what to say or order. The attendants led the terrified mechanic out of the room, and the vizier, throwing him a purse, swore with a horrible oath, that 'if he did not put himself on the other side of the company's frontier before the next morning, if ever he trod the earth again, it should be as a vampire indeed.'

This is, I think, no bad specimen of the manner in which an absolute sovereign may be persuaded out of his

own senses."

A SAILOR'S DREAM.—Capt. N—, of the United States' Navy, a highly meritorious officer, was ordered, in the year 1819, to take out the flag ship to the West Indies. [It was I believe the Constellation.] At the Island of St. Thomas, several of our vessels of war were to rendezvous; and Com. Perry would there come on board of the Constellation, and take the command of the squadron, for the purpose of scouting the pirates from the haunts they infested .- Perry had sailed a short time before in the corvette John Adams. Capt. Nsailed on slowly, annoyed by head winds and detained by calms. One night he dreamed he was standing on his quarter deck, admiring the view of sea and sky, when he suddenly observed that sort of confusion at the gangway which announces the arrival of a visiter. He looked in that direction, and saw advancing Capt. Gordon, who had died some years before in the Mediterranean service. He felt as we usually do, when we dream of the departed; a consciousness that they are dead, yet no surprise to see them alive and performing all the actions of living men-discrepancies that dreams alone can reconcile. Gordon politely saluted him, and then enquired, "whither he was bound." Capt N. answered, "I am going out as Perry's captain, who will hoist his

flag on board at St. Thomas." "No," said capt. Gordon, "that you must not expect to see, for Perry now belongs to my squadron; look round you and you will be convinced." He then pointed over the side of the ship. Capt. N. looked in the direction designated, and saw what appeared to be an island, with a town and fort; flags of various vessels and of the fort were hoisted halfmast high; minute guns were firing; a vessel lay out in the road, at a distance from the land, also with marks of mourning; presently two or three boats put in view from the side of the vessel nearest the land, containing officers, and rowed slowly up with muffled oars; then another boat with music and muffled drums, playing a dead march; and last of all came a boat with a coffin covered with black, a military hat and sword laying on it, and surrounded by several officers, seemingly in deep grief; he saw the procession glide with measured strokes towards the town, and plainly heard the mingled sounds of bells ringing, music playing, and the cannon firing. He continued looking, lost in anxiety and wonder, when some accidental noise in the ship aroused him from his sleep. He felt his mind so stongly impressed with this awful dream, that to sleep was quite impossible; he lay restless till the morning; he then assembled his officers, and told them all the particulars-for sailors are proverbially superstitious—they agreed to put down the day of the month, &c.

After a few days more sailing they made the Island of St. Thomas, where lay the corvette John Adams—a boat soon put off from her, when they were informed that commodore Perry had died on board, of yellow fever, and been actually buried on shore with a procession of boats, and on the very day of the month on which

Capt. N- had the wonderful dream.

I may have made some unimportant errors in this account, of time and place, as it was told me seven or eight years ago; but my memory as to the essentials is correct, and I believe I tell it (without any attempt at making a fine story) exactly as captain N. told it himself to me.

An English writer has computed that half of a woman's chances of marriage are gone when she has completed her twentieth year at twenty-three, three-fourths of her opportunities have vanished; and at twenty-six, seven-eighths. So girls, we advise you to cut the cards accordingly.

## Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

Western District—At Pittsburgh, for Allegheny, Somerset, Westmoreland, Fayette, Green, Washington, Beaver, Butler, Mercer, Crawford, Erie, Warren, Venango, Armstrong, Cambria, Indiana and Jefferson counties, on the 1st Monday of September; and to continue 4 weeks if necessary; John B. Gibson, chief justice; Charles Huston, Molton C. Rodgers, John Ross, and John Kennedy, associate judges.

Courts of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions.

Fifth District—Charles Shaler, president; at Pittsburgh, for Allegheny county, on the fourth Mondays of March, June, October and December; and to continue, by adjournment, from day to day, Sundays excepted, until the causes which have been set down for trial shall be tried, continued by consent of both parties, or by order of the court at the instance of either party upon the usual legal grounds produced to the court; Wm. M'Candless, prothonotary; Francis M'Clure and James Riddle, associate judges.

Sixth District.—At Erie, for the county of Erie, on the first Mondays of February, May, August, and November.—At Meadville, for Crawford county, on the third Mondays of the same months.—At Franklin, for Venango county, on the fourth Mondays of the same months.—At Warren, on the Mondays next after the courts in Venango county.

Tenth District.—John Young, president; at Greensburgh, for Westmoreland, on the Mondays before the last in Reb. May, August and November.—At Kittanning, for Armstrong, on the Sd Mondays of March, June, September and December.—At Indiana, 4th Mondays, same months.—At Ebensburgh, for Cambria, the first Mondays succeeding the courts at Indiana.

Seventeenth District.—John Bredin, president; at Beaver, for Beaver county, on the first Mondays of March, June, September and December.—At Butler, for Butler county, on the second Mondays of the same months.—At Mercer, for Mercer county, on the fourth Mondays of the same months.

Fourteenth District.—Thomas Baird, president; at Uniontown, for the county of Fayette, on the first Mondays of March, June, September and December in every year, to continue two weeks if necessary.—At Waynesburgh, for the county of Green, on the third Mondays of March, June, and December, and the second Monday of September, to continue one week if necessary.—At Washington, for the county of Washington, on the fourth Mondays of March, June and December, and the first Monday of October, to continue two weeks if necessary.

Mayor's Court for the City of Pittsburgh.—M. M. Murray, Mayor; E. Pentland, recorder; on the second Mondays of February and May, and fourth Mondays of

July and October.

United States' District Court.—Held at Pittsburgh for the Western District of Pennsylvania, on the first Monday of May, and third Monday of Oct. is composed of the following counties, viz. Fayette, Green, Washington, Allegheny, Westmoreland, Somerset, Bedford, Huntingdon, Centre, Mifflin, Clearfield, M'Kean, Potter, Jefferson, Cambria, Indiana, Armstrong, Butler, Beaver, Mercer, Crawford, Venango, Erie and Warren. Thomas Irwin, judge; John M. Davis, marshal.

Supreme Court of the United States.—At the city of Washington, on the 2nd. Monday of January annually.

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